

rule — Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Shrimp Fishery of the Gulf of Mexico; Revision of Bycatch Reduction Device Testing Manual [Docket No.: 160815740-6740-01] (RIN: 0648-BG28-X) received January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

425. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — International Fisheries; Tuna and Tuna-Like Species in the Eastern Pacific Ocean; Silky Shark Fishing Restrictions and Fish Aggregating Device Data Collection and Identification [Docket No.: 160801681-6999-02] (RIN: 0648-BG22) received January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

426. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act Provisions; Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Scup Fishery; Framework Adjustment 9 [Docket No.: 160615524-6999-02] (RIN: 0648-BG13) received January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

427. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Snapper-Groupers Fishery Off the Southern Atlantic States; Regulatory Amendment 16 [Docket No.: 131113952-6999-02] (RIN: 0648-BD78) received January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

428. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Atlantic Herring Fishery; Specification of Management Measures for Atlantic Herring for the 2016-2018 Fishing Years [Docket No.: 151215999-6960-02] (RIN: 0648-BF64) received January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

429. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Allow the Use of Longline Pot Gear in the Gulf of Alaska Sablefish Individual Fishing Quota Fishery; Amendment 101 [Docket No.: 151001910-6999-02] (RIN: 0648-BF42) received January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

430. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Crab Rationalization Program [Docket No.: 160617541-6999-02] (RIN: 0648-BG15) re-

ceived January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

431. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Magnuson-Stevens Act Provisions; National Standard Guidelines [Docket No.: 120416013-6270-03] (RIN: 0648-BB92) received January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

432. A letter from the Director, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the 2016 Report to Congress on the Disclosure of Financial Interest and Recusal Requirements for Regional Fishery Management Councils and Scientific and Statistical Committees and on Apportionment of Membership on the Regional Fishery Management Councils, pursuant to the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, Secs. 302(b)(2)(B) and 302(j)(9); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

433. A letter from the Vice Chairman and Executive Director, Administrative Conference of the United States, transmitting Recommendations Adopted by the Administrative Conference of the United States in 2016 at its 65th and 66th plenary sessions; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

434. A letter from the Staff Director, Commission on Civil Rights, transmitting a copy of the charter for the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights state advisory committees, pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 41 C.F.R. Sec. 102-3.70; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

435. A letter from the Alternate OSD FRLO, Office of the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule — Civil Monetary Penalty Inflation Adjustment [Docket ID: DOD-2016-OS-0045] (RIN: 0790-ZA12) received January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

436. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Civil Monetary Penalty Adjustments for Inflation [Docket No.: DHS-2016-0034] (RIN 1601-AA80) received January 27, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

437. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Labor, transmitting a letter written in response to the Office of the Ombudsman's 2014 Annual Report that was filed with Congress on January 8, 2016, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 7385s-15(e)(4); Public Law 106-398, Sec. 1 (as amended by Public Law 113-291, Sec. 3141(b)); (128 Stat. 3899); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

438. A letter from the Management and Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment of Class E Airspace, Blue Mesa, CO [Docket No.: FAA-2016-7043; Airspace Docket No.: 16-ANM-6] received January 26, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

439. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Office of the Secretary (OOREG), Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's interim final rule — Fertility Counseling and Treatment for Certain Veterans and Spouses (RIN: 2900-AP94) received January 27, 2017, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law

104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

440. A letter from the Acting Chief Privacy Officer, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's Privacy Office's Fiscal Year 2016 Semiannual Report to Congress, as required by Sec. 803 of the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

441. A letter from the Deputy Inspector General for Audit Services, Office of the Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report titled "Review of Medicare Contractor Information Security Program Evaluations for Fiscal Year 2015", pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1395kk-1(e)(2)(C)(ii); Aug. 14, 1935, ch. 531, title XVIII, Sec. 1874A(e)(2)(C)(ii) (as amended by Public Law 108-173, Sec. 912(a)); (117 Stat. 2388); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

442. A letter from the Executive Director and Chair, World War I Centennial Commission, transmitting the Commission's periodic report for the period ended December 31, 2016, pursuant to Public Law 112-272, Sec. 5(b)(1); (126 Stat. 2450); jointly to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform and Natural Resources.

443. A letter from the Executive Director and Chair, World War I Centennial Commission, transmitting the Commission's periodic report for the period ended June 30, 2016, pursuant to Public Law 112-272, Sec. 5(b)(1); (126 Stat. 2450); jointly to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform and Natural Resources.

444. A letter from the Executive Director and Chair, World War I Centennial Commission, transmitting the Commission's periodic report for the period ended September 30, 2016, pursuant to Public Law 112-272, Sec. 5(b)(1); (126 Stat. 2450); jointly to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform and Natural Resources.

445. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Presidential Memorandum regarding construction of the Keystone XL Pipeline; jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs, Natural Resources, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Energy and Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. COLE. Committee on Rules. House Resolution 74. Resolution providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 36) providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the final rule of the Bureau of Land Management relating to "Waste Prevention, Production Subject to Royalties, and Resource Conservation", and providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 37) disapproving the rule submitted by the Department of Defense, the General Services Administration, and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration relating to the Federal Acquisition Regulation (Rept. 115-8). Referred to the House Calendar.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. SMITH of Washington (for himself, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. COOPER, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. O'ROURKE, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. HECK, and Mr. VISCLOSKEY):

H.R. 753. A bill to establish a fair and transparent process that will result in the timely consolidation, closure, and realignment of military installations inside the United States and will realize improved efficiencies in the cost and management of military installations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Appropriations, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. STEWART (for himself and Ms. MENG):

H.R. 754. A bill to award the Congressional Gold Medal to Anwar Sadat in recognition of his heroic achievements and courageous contributions to peace in the Middle East; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. SANFORD (for himself, Mr. MEADOWS, and Ms. PINGREE):

H.R. 755. A bill to amend the REAL ID Act of 2005 to remove the provision requiring each State to provide all other States with electronic access to information contained in the motor vehicle database of the State, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. CHAFFETZ (for himself, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. MEADOWS, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. CONNOLLY, and Mr. ROSS):

H.R. 756. A bill to restore the financial solvency and improve the governance of the United States Postal Service in order to ensure the efficient and affordable nationwide delivery of mail, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. CONNOLLY:

H.R. 757. A bill to increase the rates of pay under the statutory pay systems and for prevailing rate employees by 3.2 percent, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. SCHNEIDER (for himself and Mr. YOHIO):

H.R. 758. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize veterans who are entitled to educational assistance under the Post-9/11 Educational Assistance Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs to use such entitlement to participate in a career transition internship program for veterans; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. ELLISON (for himself and Mr. RENACCI):

H.R. 759. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Labor from enforcing any requirement that consumer reporting agencies that serve only as a secure conduit to data from State unemployment compensation agencies obtain and maintain an individual's informed consent agreement when verifying income and employment with such agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LYNCH (for himself and Mr. MCKINLEY):

H.R. 760. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for certain index fund investments from the Postal Service Retiree Health Benefits Fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. RENACCI (for himself, Mr. POCAN, Mr. KILMER, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BUCSHON):

H.R. 761. A bill to prohibit the use of premiums paid to the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation as an offset for other Federal spending; to the Committee on Rules, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. SHERMAN, and Mr. GARAMENDI):

H.R. 762. A bill to provide for the restoration of legal rights for claimants under holocaust-era insurance policies; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. POLIQUIN (for himself and Ms. PINGREE):

H.R. 763. A bill to clarify the boundary of Acadia National Park, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 764. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives for employer-provided employee housing assistance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Financial Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ (for herself, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. MEEKS, and Mr. JEFFRIES):

H.R. 765. A bill to authorize programs and activities to support transportation options in areas that are undergoing extensive repair or reconstruction of transportation infrastructure, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 766. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a pilot program to expand telehealth options under the Medicare program for individuals residing in public housing located in health professional shortage areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. COHEN (for himself, Mr. KINZINGER, Mr. CÁRDENAS, and Mrs. WAGNER):

H.R. 767. A bill to establish the Stop, Observe, Ask, and Respond to Health and Wellness Training pilot program to address human trafficking in the health care system; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. DIAZ-BALART:

H.R. 768. A bill to require the United States Postal Service to designate a single, unique ZIP code for Miami Lakes, Florida; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. GRANGER (for herself and Mr. ZELDIN):

H.R. 769. A bill to prohibit voluntary or assessed contributions to the United Nations until the President certifies to Congress that United Nations Security Council Resolution 2334 has been repealed; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. HIMES (for himself, Mr. POSEY, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. COOPER, Mr. JOYCE of Ohio, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, and Mr. ROE of Tennessee):

H.R. 770. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in recognition of

American innovation and significant innovation and pioneering efforts of individuals or groups from each of the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and the United States territories, to promote the importance of innovation in the United States, the District of Columbia, and the United States territories, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Ms. LEE (for herself, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Mr. CONNOLLY, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. MOORE, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Ms. NORTON, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. QUIGLEY, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. KILDEE, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. MENG, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Mr. O'ROURKE, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. TAKANO, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. NORCROSS, Mr. GUTIÉRREZ, Ms. DELAURO, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. WELCH, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. TITUS, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. ENGEL, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. TONKO, Mr. AGUILAR, Mr. CLAY, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. FRANKEL of Florida, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. SÁNCHEZ, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BEYER, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Ms. ADAMS, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. HECK, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. BERA, Mr. DOGGETT, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. RICHMOND, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. KEATING, Mrs. BEATTY, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. KHANNA, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. POCAN, Ms. ESTY, Mr. GALLEGO, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. EVANS, Mr. PETERS, and Mrs. TORRES):

H.R. 771. A bill to ensure affordable abortion coverage and care for every woman, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS (for herself, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. BLUM, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. COLLINS of New York, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. HARRIS, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. HUDSON, Ms. JENKINS of Kansas, Mr. JONES, Mr. KIND, Mr. LATTA, Mr. MOOLENAAR, Mr. MOONEY of West Virginia, Mr. MULLIN, Mr. NEWHOUSE, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. ROTHFUS, Ms. SINEMA, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. STEFANIK, Mr. VALADAO, Mrs. WAGNER, Mr. WALBERG, Mrs. WALORSKI, Mrs. MIMI

WALTERS of California, Mr. WALZ, Mr. WESTERMAN, and Mr. YOUNG of Iowa):

H.R. 772. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to improve and clarify certain disclosure requirements for restaurants and similar retail food establishments, and to amend the authority to bring proceedings under section 403A; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MENG:

H.R. 773. A bill to require the Department of Defense to utilize managed print services; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. MENG:

H.R. 774. A bill to remove the limitation on Medicaid coverage of tobacco cessation non-prescription drugs; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. MOOLENAAR:

H.R. 775. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to inflation adjust the \$5,000 limitation with respect to dependent care assistance programs and flexible spending arrangements; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER:

H.R. 776. A bill to require that until a comprehensive study is completed, the volume of cellulosic biofuel mandated under the renewable fuel program be limited to what is commercially available, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER:

H.R. 777. A bill to provide for a comprehensive assessment of the scientific and technical research on the implications of the use of mid-level ethanol blends, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. WELCH (for himself, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. DUFFY, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. VALADAO, and Ms. DELBENE):

H.R. 778. A bill to require enforcement against misbranded milk alternatives; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. WITTMAN:

H.R. 779. A bill to restrict United States nationals from traveling to countries in which foreign governments or anti-government forces allow foreign terrorist organizations to engage in armed conflict for purposes of participating in such armed conflict or from providing material support to entities that are engaged in such armed conflict, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. LABRADOR (for himself, Mr. BROOKS of Alabama, Mr. SCHWEIKERT, Mr. DESJARLAIS, Mr. RICE of South Carolina, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. BABIN, Mr. BYRNE, Mr. BUDD, Mr. DAVIDSON, Mr. ZELDIN, Mr. HUDSON, and Mr. JODY B. HICE of Georgia):

H.J. Res. 50. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to limit the number of terms a Representative or Senator may serve; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ROE of Tennessee (for himself, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. ROKITA, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. JODY B. HICE of Georgia, Mr. TIPTON, Mrs. WALORSKI, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. PALAZZO, Mr. CARTER of Georgia, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. BILI-

RAKIS, Mr. COSTELLO of Pennsylvania, Mr. WILLIAMS, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, Mr. EMMER, Mr. WEBSTER of Florida, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. ROYCE of California, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. HILL, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. MOOLENAAR, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. LONG, Mr. TURNER, Mr. MESSER, Mr. YOHO, Mr. PITTEGER, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. LUETKEMEYER, Mrs. COMSTOCK, Mr. YODER, Mr. FLORES, Mrs. BLACK, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. LATTA, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. HURD, Mr. GOWDY, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, and Mr. BARR):

H.J. Res. 51. A joint resolution approving the discontinuation of the process for consideration and automatic implementation of the annual proposal of the Independent Medicare Advisory Board under section 1899A of the Social Security Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. NEWHOUSE (for himself, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. CRAMER, Mrs. RADEWAGEN, Mr. SESSIONS, and Mr. BIGGS):

H.J. Res. 52. A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the final rule of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service relating to "Mitigation Policy"; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. SPEIER (for herself, Ms. ADAMS, Ms. BARRAGAN, Mrs. BEATTY, Mr. BEYER, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. CLAY, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. DELANEY, Ms. DELAURO, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. DESAULNIER, Mr. DEUTCH, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. ENGEL, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GUTIÉRREZ, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. JEFFRIES, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. KEATING, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. KILMER, Mr. KIND, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Ms. LEE, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. LOEBSACK, Mr. LOWENTHAL, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. MOORE, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. NORCROSS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. PINGREE, Mr. POCAN, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. QUIGLEY, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. RICHMOND, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. RUSH, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. SÁNCHEZ, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. SINEMA, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. TAKANO, Ms. TITUS, Mr. TONKO,

Mrs. TORRES, Ms. TSONGAS, Mr. VARGAS, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. WALZ, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. WELCH, Mr. YARMUTH, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. COURTNEY, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. EVANS, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. LEVIN, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. PETERS, Mr. HECK, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. HIMES, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire, Mr. GALLEGO, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. HASTINGS, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. NOLAN, Mr. SIRES, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. KIHUEN, and Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN):

H.J. Res. 53. A joint resolution removing the deadline for the ratification of the equal rights amendment; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ROKITA:

H.J. Res. 54. A joint resolution disapproving the rule submitted by the Department of the Treasury and the Internal Revenue Service relating to documentation requirements for certain related-party interests in a corporation to be treated as indebtedness; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STEWART (for himself, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. GOHMERT, Mrs. RADEWAGEN, Mr. CRAMER, and Mr. BIGGS):

H.J. Res. 55. A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the final rule of the Office of Natural Resources Revenue relating to "Amendments to Civil Penalty Regulations"; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Natural Resources, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. MAXINE WATERS of California (for herself, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Ms. LEE, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. NADLER, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. BARRAGAN, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, and Ms. JACKSON LEE):

H. Con. Res. 15. Concurrent resolution asserting that Congress should expend the resources necessary to investigate thoroughly the nature and extent of Russian interference in the 2016 presidential election, including whether there was collusion between persons associated with the Russian government and persons associated with the presidential campaign of Donald J. Trump to influence the outcome of the election; to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SHUSTER (for himself and Mr. DEFAZIO):

H. Res. 73. A resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure in the One Hundred Fifteenth Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Ms. MENG, Ms. JUDY CHU of California, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. MOORE, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. TONKO, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. POCAN, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. COHEN, and Ms. BROWNLEY of California):

H. Res. 75. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding sexually exploited and trafficked girls in

the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. NUNES (for himself and Mr. SCHIFF):

H. Res. 76. A resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence in the One Hundred Fifteenth Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. THOMAS J. ROONEY of Florida (for himself and Mr. HASTINGS):

H. Res. 77. A resolution encouraging the development of best business practices to fully utilize the potential of the United States; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Ms. PELOSI introduced a bill (H.R. 780) for the relief of Maria Carmen Castro Ramirez and J. Refugio Carreno Rojas; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. SMITH of Washington:

H.R. 753.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress "to provide for the common Defense", "to raise and support Armies", "to provide and maintain a Navy" and "to make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces" as enumerated in Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. STEWART:

H.R. 754.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article one, Section eight.

By Mr. SANFORD:

H.R. 755.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 756.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Art. I, Sec. 8

To establish Post Offices and post Roads.

By Mr. CONNOLLY:

H.R. 757.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The "necessary and proper" clause of Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. SCHNEIDER:

H.R. 758.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8.

By Mr. ELLISON:

H.R. 759.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Article I, Section 8, Clause 1.

By Mr. LYNCH:

H.R. 760.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 7 and Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

By Mr. RENACCI:

H.R. 761.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 1: The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18: To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States or in any Department or Officer thereof.

Article 1, Section 5, Clause 2: Each House may determine the Rules of its Proceedings, punish its Members for disorderly Behaviour, and, with the Concurrence of two thirds, expel a Member.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN:

H.R. 762.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. POLIQUIN:

H.R. 763.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article IV, Section 3, Clause 2: "The Congress shall have power to dispose of and make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory or other property belonging to the United States.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 764.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 765.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

The Congress shall have Power to . . . provide for the . . . general Welfare of the United States; . . .

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

The Congress shall have Power . . . To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 766.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

The Congress shall have Power . . . To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Mr. COHEN:

H.R. 767.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. DIAZ-BALART:

H.R. 768.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution

By Ms. GRANGER:

H.R. 769.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution that the Congress shall have power to make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing powers, and all other powers vested by this Constitution in the government of the United States, or in any department or officer thereof.

By Mr. HIMES:

H.R. 770.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 5: "To coin Money, regulate the Value thereof, and of foreign Coin, and fix the Standard of Weights and Measures;"

By Ms. LEE:

H.R. 771.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I of the United States Constitution and its subsequent amendments, and further clarified and interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States.

By Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS:

H.R. 772.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 as applied to providing for the general welfare of the United States through the administration of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

By Ms. MENG:

H.R. 773.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. MENG:

H.R. 774.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. MOOLENAAR:

H.R. 775.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution and Amendment XVI of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER:

H.R. 776.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER:

H.R. 777.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. WELCH:

H.R. 778.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18: The Congress shall have Power To . . . make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. WITTMAN:

H.R. 779.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests in the preamble of the Constitution providing for the "common defense" and in the powers governing national security in Article I, Section 8.